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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE: Application of Gregor John McLennan ANDERSON et al.

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For: *A Dispensing Device***Commissioner for Patents****P.O. Box 1450****Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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☒ Copies of the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 as Item nos. 22-23, 25-28, 32-33, 35-36, 58-65, 67-69 and 71-72 are enclosed

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(37 CFR 1.98(d))

☐ A copy of the International Search Report which issued on International Application No. PCT/GB2005/000926 is submitted herewith. All of the publications cited in the International Search Report are listed on the attached form PTO-1449 as Item nos. 1-7, 11, 18, 21, 24, 29-31, 34, 37, 66, 70 and 73-74 and Applicants understand that copies have been supplied to the U.S. Patent Office by the International Bureau.

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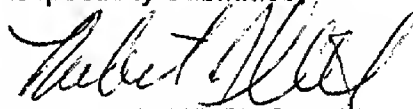
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